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# **Advisory Announcement**

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# KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT #30 For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-30-22

There will be a <u>48-hour extension</u> to the current commercial salmon fishing period from **6:00 p.m. Wednesday**, **August 24 until 6:00 p.m. Friday**, **August 26** in the following areas:

- The Central and North Cape Sections of the Northwest Kodiak District; and
- The Izhut Bay and Southwest Afognak Section of the Afognak District.

#### Closed Water Adjustments:

Closed waters are <u>expanded</u> until **6:00 p.m. Friday, August 26** at Malina Creek to consist of all waters within one half nautical mile of the beach near the terminus of Malina Creek (251-105) between 58° 10.00 N. lat, and 58° 11.000' North lat.

### As Previously Announced:

Fishermen are reminded that, <u>until further notice</u>, in that portion of the Northwest Kodiak and Southwest Kodiak Districts south of the latitude of Cape Kuliuk, Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350). Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department's 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.